

## - Media Advisory -Thursday April 17, 2008

## Arizona Department of Public Safety Metro East Bureau conducts speed-enforcement detail on State Route 202 near McQueen Road.

On April 16 between 8:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m., Arizona Department of Public Safety (DPS) officers conducted a special speed-enforcement detail along State Route 202 in the area of McQueen Road. A total of 81 citations were given out, the highest speed recorded was 97 mph.

With the rapid growth in the southeast Valley that particular area is seeing an increase in collisions, hence the need for the special speed-enforcement detail.

"Speed is a major factor contributing to collisions on our state highways, DPS will continue to focus its efforts on motorists who recklessly exceed the speed limit by using special details, aircraft and photo enforcement," said Cmdr. Thomas Woodward of the Metro East Bureau Arizona Department of Public Safety.